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## PROJECT FUNDING


The board of education is considering a bond resolution for around \$2.89 million dollars on a schedule to pay off the bonded indebtedness over a 20 year period. This would require a special bond election with the general public on September 14, 2021, at which time the bond election could either pass or fail.

A successful bond election would create an annual bond levy of 4.5 cents, for 20 years, based on the district's current valuation. A successful bond election would provide the district with \$2.89 million dollars for a new gym at the Elementary School, a new playground area at the Elementary School, and two new classroom additions at the Elementary School that would be used as preschool classrooms.

*\*Bond Levy of 4.5 Cents  
(Annual Yearly Cost Increase to Taxpayers)*

<i>Valuation</i>	<i>Annual Yearly Cost</i>
<i>\$50,000</i>	<i>\$22.50</i>
<i>\$100,000</i>	<i>\$45.00</i>
<i>\$500,000</i>	<i>\$225.00</i>
<i>\$1,000,000</i>	<i>\$450.00</i>
<i>\$2,000,000</i>	<i>\$900.00</i>

*\*Based on current valuations and a successful special bond election on September 14, 2021.*



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## ENGAGING THE PUBLIC

Engaging the public and receiving public feedback are critical factors of this process. The district is planning on using the following modes of communication to interact with our public:

- District Website
- Informational Brochures
- Public Informational Meetings
- Social Media Outlets

### *Questions about the Special Bond Election?*

Submit questions, ideas, and clarifications via phone or email to:


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Email: [cprososki@southernschools.org](mailto:cprososki@southernschools.org)

Contact: Dr. Christopher Proski

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## SOUTHERN SCHOOL DISTRICT

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*Special Bond Election*

*September 14, 2021*



# VISION FOR THE FUTURE

The board of education has engaged in master planning over the years in an effort to create a vision for learning and to engage in facility projects involving both short-term and long-term planning. With the interest rates at an all time low and the need for some additions at the Elementary School, the board of education has decided to move forward with a \$2.89 million dollar special bond election in the fall.

## *\$2.89 Million - Levy Change*

School Year	Building Fund	QCPUF Fund	Bond Fund	General Fund	Total Levy
2017-2018	\$0.000	\$0.005	\$0.040	\$1.049	\$1.094
2018-2019	\$0.000	\$0.030	\$0.000	\$1.050	\$1.080
2019-2020	\$0.010	\$0.030	\$0.000	\$1.040	\$1.080
2020-2021	\$0.010	\$0.030	\$0.000	\$1.040	\$1.080
*2021-2022	\$0.010	\$0.030	\$0.045	\$1.040	\$1.125

## *\$2.89 Million - Tax Request Change*

School Year	Building Fund	QCPUF Fund	Bond Fund	General Fund	Total Request
2017-2018	\$0	\$20,202	\$161,616	\$4,188,625	\$4,370,443
2018-2019	\$0	\$120,131	\$0	\$4,204,610	\$4,324,741
2019-2020	\$38,356	\$115,069	\$0	\$3,989,074	\$4,142,499
2020-2021	\$38,003	\$114,009	\$0	\$3,952,324	\$4,104,336
*2021-2022	\$38,003	\$114,009	\$169,304	\$3,952,324	\$4,273,640

*\*Based on current valuations and a successful special bond election on September 14, 2021.*



# SOUTHERN SCHOOL DISTRICT MASTER PLANNING

The board of education has focused facility planning in the following priorities cultivated over the past several years:

### Safety & Security

- 2 Elementary School Classroom Additions

### Expanded School & Community Space

- Elementary School Gym
- Elementary School Playground Area
- Fix Drainage Issues Around the Building

